

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 868

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served September 6, 1968

Application of W. V. & M. Coach )  
Company, Inc., for Thirty (30) )  
Day Temporary Authority to Extend )  
Routes 2-T, 3-B, 3-H, and 6-K. )

Application No. 531

By Application No. 531, filed August 30, 1968, W. V. & M. Coach Company, Inc., requests thirty (30) day temporary authority to extend Routes 2-T, 3-B, 3-H, and 6-K from 9th Street and Constitution Avenue, N. W. to the Southwest Mall Area as follows:

EXTENDED PORTION:

Eastbound - From 10th Street and Constitution Avenue, N. W. continue east on Constitution Avenue, south on 7th Street, N. W. and S. W. and east on C Street to the existing D. C. Transit bus stop on C Street, S. W. east of 4th Street.

Westbound - From the terminal stand on the north side of C Street, S. W. east of 4th Street, continue west on C Street, north on 7th Street, S. W. and N. W. and west on Constitution Avenue to 9th Street, thence over regular route.

NOTE: No turnaround loop will be needed for the proposed service since the eastbound trips will go out of service when they reach S.W. Mall and the westbound service will start at S. W. Mall.

DISCONTINUED PORTION:

10th Street, N. W. between Constitution and Pennsylvania Avenues, Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W. between 9th and 10th Streets, 9th Street, N. W. between Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues.

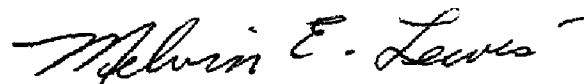
NOTE: Other trips will continue to operate over these streets.

On June 18, 1968, we served Order No. 829 which dealt primarily with improvement of service. Among other things, we requested applicant to extend service to the area involved herein. The instant application is an attempt to comply with our recommendation. In addition, the applicant asserts that it has received numerous requests from its patrons for the proposed extensions. In our opinion, there is an immediate and urgent need for the proposed service which cannot adequately be met by existing carriers, hence, we will grant the immediate request.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the application of W. V. & M. Coach Company, Inc., for thirty (30) day temporary authority be, and it is hereby, granted.
2. That this order become effective Monday, September 9, 1968.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Melvin E. Lewis".

MELVIN E. LEWIS  
Executive Director